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RESOURCES

Loans and Investments, \$84,488.50
U. S. Bonds, 125,000.00
Banking House, 73,291.61
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents, 98,104.41
Cash, 44,553.00
5 Per Cent. Fund, 3,400.00
\$1,228,538.42

LIABILITIES

Capital, \$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits, 185,522.51
Circulation, 96,600.00
Deposits, 842,236.90
Other Liabilities, 1,410.01
\$1,228,538.42

This bank with its ample capital and surplus, its adequate equipment and facilities, solicits the accounts of manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers and individuals on the best terms consistent with sound banking. No account too large to be handled satisfactorily; none too small to be appreciated.

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A good WHITE MAN for the stable at Ravensworth. Write to Mrs. R. E. Burke, Virginia.

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if it needs cleaning. Most likely that's the reason it has been losing time lately. Step in and let us look it over. We are experts in watch repairing. All our work is guaranteed, and our charges are always the lowest.

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Buy at the Start in the Garden Suburb. Lots \$200; \$10 cash, \$5 per month.

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See the Morrill style damp-proof cement houses, poured in steel moulds.

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Greatly reduced round trip fares via Southern Railway from Washington, D. C., and principal Virginia points to Atlanta, Ga., and return account above occasion. Dates of sale September 16, 17, 18 and for trains scheduled to arrive Atlanta before noon of September 19, 1910; final limit September 28, 1910. Tickets will be extended to October 15, 1910, by payment of \$1.00 per ticket before September 28th. Consultants or write L. S. Brown, General Agent, 705 Fifteenth Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., for full particulars.

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Leadbeater's guaranteed Cherry Cough Remedy to cure coughs. We don't say or your money back, because there's no need. It cures! 25c bottle.

Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 6

"Black Bart" Road Agent.

Charles E. Bolles, known to fame as "Black Bart," was incomparably the most conspicuous character in the history of western stage robbers. From 1875 to 1883 "Black Bart" is known to have committed twenty-seven stage robberies single handed. Northern California stage drivers stood in constant fear of this unique desperado. On various occasions the drivers were able to give a good description of his figure, hair, feet and hands, yet no clew to his actual identity was gained during the eight years of his stage robbing career. He was finally betrayed by a laundry mark on a cuff which had dropped from his wrist when opening a treasure box which he had taken from a Wells Fargo stage in San Joaquin valley. When he was finally captured in San Francisco the detectives were amazed to find the famous "Black Bart" a slight, quiet mannered man of fifty-five, familiar in face to all the San Francisco detectives. He had for years frequented a little restaurant near police headquarters where many of the detectives dined.—W. C. Jenkins in National Magazine.

Got It at Last.

It is told of a distinguished professor of history that, in an address before a woman's club on "Obscure Heroes of the French Revolution," he had reached the point where one of them, nobly resolved to essay the rescue of a friend doomed to the guillotine, sought a parting interview with his sweetheart before making the almost hopeless attempt. The professor had a moving voice and was eloquent. The assembly of women, many of them already near tears, hung breathlessly upon his words.

"Biddy, biddy," said he pathetically, then coughed slightly and went back. "Biddy biddy"—Something was evidently amiss. He tried again.

"Biddy biddy biddy doo." By this time the ladies looked puzzled and the orator desperate. Drawing a long breath and speaking with painful deliberation, he at length conquered the elusive syllables and said: "Did he bid adieu?"—Youth's Companion.

Unconscious Humor.

Mark Twain, as an example of unconscious humor, used to quote a Hartford woman who said one day in the late spring:

"My husband is the dearest fellow. 'Jim,' I said to him this morning, 'are you very hard up just now?' 'I certainly am hard up,' he replied soberly. 'This high cost of living is terrible. I don't know what I'm going to do.'"

"Then, Jim," said I, "I'll give up all thought of going to the country for July and August this year."

"But the dear fellow's face changed, and he said: 'Indeed, then, you won't, darling. I thought you wanted to buy a hat with an albatross or some such foolishness. No, no, my darling! Jim can always find the money to let his dear little wife go to the country.'—Washington Star.

Looking For "the Crazy Ones."

A woman got off a Darty car at Twenty-fourth street and Woodland avenue the other day, entered the university campus and started toward College hall, walking with brisk determination, yet looking wonderingly about her the while.

In front of the library a university youth met her, and she accosted him quickly.

"Young man," she said, "will you please tell me where they keep the crazy ones?"

"Wh-what?" stammered the college man. She repeated her question in somewhat different form.

"I want the insane department," she said. "I have a friend who is a nurse there. I thought I'd make her a little visit. Isn't this the Philadelphia hospital?"—Philadelphia Times.

The New Page.

"Look here, Wilkins," said a doctor to his boy in buttons, whom he had occasion to reprimand, "I can't stand any more of this nonsense. You'll have to turn over a fresh leaf."

"All right, sir," was the witty response; "you shan't complain of me again, sir. I'll be an entirely new page."—London Opinion.

All on One Side.

"I am told your bride is very pretty," said Miss Peppery.

"Yes, indeed!" replied Mr. Con Seat. "Several of the guests at the ceremony were pleased to call it a 'wedding of beauty and brains.'"

"Well, well! She must be a remarkable woman. That's an unusual combination in one person."

In the Still Night.

"What is it?" the druggist sleepily inquired from his bedroom window. "This fish drug store, ain't it?" asked the man who had rung the night bell.

"Yes. What do you want?" "Want to look in your city directory minute an' see where I live."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Expanding.

The Old Friend—I understand that your practice is getting bigger. The Young Doctor—That's true. My patient has gained nearly two pounds in the last month.

Wanted Help.

Wife (crying in a crooked dream)—Help! Help! Hub—Poor dear! Worried about the servant problem even in her sleep.—Boston Transcript.

The secret of success is constancy to purpose.—Beaconsfield.

Be sure and take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when you start on your trip this summer. It cannot be obtained on board the trains or steamers. Changes of water and climate often cause sudden attacks of diarrhoea, and it is best to be prepared. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

Getting Away From Land.

The question has been asked, Is it possible to sail 1,000 miles from land? This can be done at several points. By leaving San Francisco and sailing northwestward into the north Pacific a spot is reached where there is no land, not even an islet, for 1,000 miles in any direction. So, too, sailing from the southern point of Kamchatka southward ships reach a point equally distant from land of any kind, the nearest to the north being the Aleutian islands and to the south the outlying members of the Sandwich group. In the southern Indian ocean it is possible to sail 1,000 miles out from the southern points of Australia and New Zealand and still be as far from any other land, and the same may be done in a westerly direction from Cape Horn. Indeed, from this point a much longer distance might be reached, for the southern Pacific between the Horn and New Zealand covers a space of 80 degrees of longitude and 40 of latitude of absolutely unbroken sea, making its central point over 1,200 miles from anywhere.

How Every Man Should Vote.

"Anybody who doesn't vote my way is a damned fool!" exclaimed a little man on an outboard trolley car.

"What's that?" asked a big man, turning around in his seat and looking back.

"Anybody who doesn't vote my way is a damned fool!" repeated the little man.

"Did I understand you aright?" asked the big man, rising from his seat and coming back to the rear of the car where the little man was seated.

The little man looked the big man over, but he was game and said once more, "Anybody who doesn't vote my way is a damned fool!"

"Hold on a minute said the big man, who seemed on the point of starting something. "First tell me which way you are going to vote."

A foxy gleam shot into the eyes of the little man, and he piped as dauntlessly as ever, "I'm going to vote any way I darned please!"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Trapping Baboons.

Hagenbeck in his book says that baboons are caught in traps made much like the traps of savages. Food is put into the traps, and once the baboons get into a trapdoor closes behind them.

Outside baboons make a great to do and urge the prisoners to escape. When the trappers come the captured baboons are terror stricken and try to force their heads through the walls of the traps.

One baboon was caught three times in the same trap, and several when turned loose got back into the same trap a second time. When the baboons are carried away all their comrades thereabout climb into trees and scream out to the prisoners, who answer in sad, mournful voices.

On one occasion some big Arabian baboons were trapped, when 2,000 or 3,000 baboons hurled themselves upon the trappers, who had hard work to save themselves with firearms and clubs. As the trappers were forced back the victorious baboons tore up the trap and turned loose the captured baboons.

Ink at \$100 a Pound.

"The best India ink—it should really be called China ink—never leaves China," said a missionary. "It costs \$100 a pound, and the correspondence of the royal family and the mandarins. India ink is made of the oil of poisonous seeds of the sesamum or colza tree. Varnish and pork fat are added to the oil, and then, by means of combustion, all is changed to lampblack. The lampblack paste mixed with glue is beaten for days on an anvil, and musk is gradually mixed in to give perfume and the purest gold leaf to give a rich luster. Finally the ink is dried in molds for about a month. What makes the best India ink so costly is its purity and, above all, the long time given to its combustion and subsequent beating. If you saw its beauty you wouldn't think it dear at \$100 a pound."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Salesman.

Young man, I had decided upon your immediate discharge. One big redeeming trait of your character as just now revealed restrains me. Your loyalty is all that saves you. Stick up for your house every time. A salesman's five cardinal points are loyalty, enthusiasm, hard work, persistence and tact. You have much of the first four and none of the last. Smooth yourself down. You talked to the lumber company man at the wrong time. When he said he was too busy you should have smiled and got out. You can only sell to a man when he is in the right mood.—Book-keeper.

The Alternative.

A tramp went into a farmhouse recently, and, seeing a boy, but an old woman, he said in very fierce tones, "Give me a drink of milk or else!"

But a man came behind him suddenly and, catching him by the neck, said, "Else what?"

"Else water," said the tramp humbly.—London Tatler.

Govern Yourself.

He who is his own monarch contentedly sways the scepter over himself, not envying the glory to the crowned heads of the earth.—Sir Thomas Browne.

How to Do It.

If you value your friendships, don't borrow money, don't lend money, don't advise others how to invest their money.—Albany Journal.

The darker the cloud the brighter the sun when he breaks through the rift.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gently stimulate the liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system, cure constipation and sick headache. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

WEEK END TICKETS.

Local week end tickets Washington to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Bluemont and intermediate stations sold Saturdays and Sundays and for return on Monday at very low fares, will be placed on sale by Southern Railway at Washington, D. C., beginning SATURDAY, MAY 25th, and continuing until October 2, inclusive.

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A Lenoir Lady, After Two Weeks Grinding Labor, Feels Better Than Ever.

Lenoir, N. C.—"I am not tired at all, and am stouter than I have ever been," writes Mrs. Kate Waters, of Lenoir, N. C., "although I have just finished a two weeks' wash. I lay my strength to Cardui, the woman's tonic. I have taken a lot of it and I can never praise it enough for what it has done for me. I can never thank you enough for the advice you gave me, to take Cardui, for since taking it I look so well and am stout as a mule."

You are urged to take Cardui, that gentle, vegetable tonic, for weak women. Its use will strengthen and build up your system, relieve or prevent headache, backache and the ailments of weak women.

It will surely help you, as it has helped thousands of others, in the past 50 years.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Literature, and send back "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

MEETINGS.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the MERCHANTS AND MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK for the election of directors and for such other business as may come before said meeting will be held at the office of M. Leo P. Harlow, in the city of Alexandria, state of Virginia, TUESDAY, September 13, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

aug 29 td ELDRIDGE E. JOHNSON, President.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the ARLINGTON BREWING COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, Rosslyn, Virginia, on TUESDAY, September 13, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

ARLINGTON BREWING COMPANY, aug 29 td Alex KING, Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the UNION BUILDING COMPANY for the election of officers and directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

LOUIS BEYER, Jr., Secretary. sep 2 w3w-f

A general or called meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA & MT. VERNON RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company at Mt. Vernon, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, September 21, 1910, at two o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering a proposed agreement with the Washington-Virginia Railway Company.

W. H. LAWTON, Assistant Secretary. sep 2 td

A general or called meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ARLINGTON & FALLS CHURCH RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company at Mt. Vernon, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, September 21, 1910, at two-thirty o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering a proposed agreement with the Washington-Virginia Railway Company.

JOHN W. RICH, Secretary. sep 2 td

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—The annual meeting of the directors and stockholders of the HARRIS & SHAFER COMPANY will take place THURSDAY, September 22, 1910, at 3 p. m., at the office of the company, No. 121 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia.

By order of the president, E. A. ALLEN HARRIS, Secretary. sep 2 td

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 31st day of August, 1910, Annie M. Gordon vs. Thomas H. Gordon, In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree of divorce and to what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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